

IPW



Docket No.: 80110(302725)  
(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:  
Eishin Kato et al.

Application No.: 10/570,485

Confirmation No.: 9937

Filed: March 3, 2006

Art Unit: 1655

For: GNETUM EXTRACT

Examiner: Q. Mi

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed August 18, 2008, between:

Group I, claim(s) 1-5, and 7-15, drawn to a *Gnetum* extract product.

Group II, claim(s) 6, drawn to a method of manufacturing material containing *Gnetum* extract.

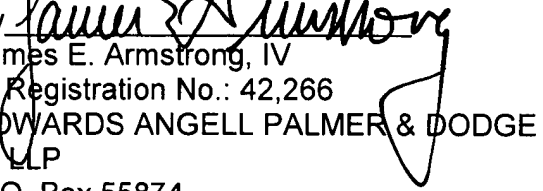
Applicant hereby elects the Group I, Claims 1-5 and 7-15, drawn to a *Gnetum* extract product, without traverse.

In any event, Applicant reserves the right to file one or more divisional applications directed to the non-elected claims prior to issuance of any patent maturing from the instant application.

Please charge this fee and any other fees which may be due with respect to this paper, to Deposit Account No. 04-1105.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: September 15, 2008

By   
James E. Armstrong, IV  
Registration No.: 42,266  
EDWARDS ANGELL PALMER & DODGE  
LLP  
P.O. Box 55874  
Boston, Massachusetts 02205  
(202) 478-7375  
Attorneys/Agents For Applicant